United States District Court Southern District of Texas

#### **ENTERED**

June 15, 2016 David J. Bradley, Clerk

### IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

TIMOTHY CRUMB, on behalf of himself	§	
and others similarly situated,	§	
	§	
Plaintiff,	§	
	§	
v.	§	CIVIL ACTION NO. H-16-662
	§	
PACKERS PLUS ENERGY SERVICES,	§	
(USA) INC.,	§	
	§	
Defendant.	§	

# SCHEDULING AND DOCKET CONTROL ORDER

The disposition of this case will be controlled by the following schedule. The schedule will also control the disposition of the related case, *Jimenez v. Packers Plus Energy Services (USA), Inc.*, No. 16-cv-107, once it is transferred from the U.S. District Court for the Western District of Texas and consolidated with this case.

1a.	June 3, 2016	MOTION TO CONDITIONALLY CERTIFY CLASS  The party seeking to conditionally certify a class will file a motion and supporting memorandum by this date.
1b.	June 17, 2016	RESPONSE TO CERTIFICATION MOTION
1c.	June 24, 2016	REPLY IN SUPPORT OF CERTIFICATION MOTION
1d.	July 12, 2016	ORAL ARGUMENT Oral argument on the motion to conditionally certify a class will be held at 8:30 a.m. in Courtroom 11-B, United States Courthouse, 515 Rusk, Houston, Texas.
2.	February 28, 2017	COMPLETION OF DISCOVERY Written discovery requests are not timely if they are filed so close to this deadline that under the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure the response would not be due until after the deadline.

3. March 17, 2017

#### PRETRIAL MOTIONS DEADLINE

No motion may be filed after this date except for good cause.

4. May 19, 2017

## JOINT PRETRIAL ORDER AND MOTION IN LIMINE DEADLINE

The Joint Pretrial Order will contain the pretrial disclosures required by Rule 26(a)(3) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. Plaintiff is responsible for timely filing the complete Joint Pretrial Order. Failure to file a Joint Pretrial Order timely may lead to dismissal or other sanction in accordance with the applicable rules.

5. May 26, 2017

#### DOCKET CALL

Docket Call will be held at 2:00 p.m. in Courtroom 11-B, United States Courthouse, 515 Rusk, Houston, Texas. No documents filed within 7 days of the Docket Call will be considered. Pending motions may be ruled on at docket call, and the case will be set for trial as close to the docket call as practicable.

6. Additional orders relating to disclosures, discovery, or pretrial motions:

Any party wishing to make any discovery motions must arrange for a pre-motion conference with the court before the preparation and submission of any motion papers. That includes a motion to compel, to quash, or for protection. Email Mrs. Eddins at <u>Lisa\_Eddins@txs.uscourts.gov</u> or fax her at 713-250-5213 to arrange for a pre-motion conference. Notify your adversary of the date and time for the conference.

The parties agree to submit attorney's fees issues to the court by affidavit after liability and damages are resolved.

SIGNED on June 14, 2016, at Houston, Texas.

Lee H. Rosenthal

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United States District Judge